

Information to identify the case:

Debtor 1: Beth Ann Smith
 First Name Middle Name Last Name
 Social Security number or ITIN: xxx-xx-0264
 EIN: --_-----

Debtor 2: _____
 First Name Middle Name Last Name
 Social Security number or ITIN: _____
 EIN: --_-----
 (Spouse, if filing)

United States Bankruptcy Court: Southern District of Georgia
 Date case filed for chapter: 11 8/26/22

Case number: 22-10618-SDB

Official Form 309E2 (For Individuals or Joint Debtors under Subchapter V)

Notice of Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Case

02/20

For the debtors listed above, a case has been filed under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. An order for relief has been entered.

This notice has important information about the case for creditors and debtors, and trustees, including information about the meeting of creditors and deadlines. Read all pages carefully.

The filing of the case imposed an automatic stay against most collection activities. This means that creditors generally may not take action to collect debts from the debtors or the debtors' property. For example, while the stay is in effect, creditors cannot sue, garnish wages, assert a deficiency, repossess property, or otherwise try to collect from the debtors. Creditors cannot demand repayment from debtors by mail, phone, or otherwise. Creditors who violate the stay can be required to pay actual and punitive damages and attorney's fees. Under certain circumstances, the stay may be limited to 30 days or not exist at all, although debtors can ask the court to extend or impose a stay.

Confirmation of a chapter 11 plan may result in a discharge of debt. Creditors who assert that the debtors are not entitled to a discharge of any debts or who want to have a particular debt excepted from discharge may be required to file a complaint in the bankruptcy clerk's office within the deadlines specified in this notice. (See line 11 below for more information.)

To protect your rights, consult an attorney. All documents filed in the case may be inspected at the bankruptcy clerk's office at the address listed below or through PACER (Public Access to Court Electronic Records at <https://pacer.uscourts.gov>).

The staff of the bankruptcy clerk's office cannot give legal advice.

To help creditors correctly identify debtors, debtors submit full Social Security or Individual Taxpayer Identification Numbers, which may appear on a version of this notice. However, the full numbers must not appear on any document filed with the court.

Do not file this notice with any proof of claim or other filing in the case. Do not include more than the last four digits of a Social Security or Individual Taxpayer Identification Number in any document, including attachments, that you file with the court.

	About Debtor 1:	About Debtor 2:
1. Debtor's full name	Beth Ann Smith	
2. All other names used in the last 8 years		
3. Address	3540 Wheeler Road, Suite 611 Augusta, GA 30909	
4. Debtor's attorney Name and address	Matthew Stewart Cathey Stone & Baxter LLP 577 Third Street Macon, GA 31201	Contact phone 478-750-9898 Email: mcathay@stoneandbaxter.com
5. Bankruptcy trustee Name and address	James C. Overstreet Jr. Klosinski Overstreet LLP 1229 Augusta West Parkway Augusta, GA 30909	Contact phone 706-863-2255
6. Bankruptcy clerk's office Documents in this case may be filed at this address. You may inspect all records filed in this case at this office or online at https://pacer.uscourts.gov .	Federal Justice Center 600 James Brown Blvd P.O. Box 1487 Augusta, GA 30903	Hours open: Mon-Fri 8:30AM-5:00PM Contact phone 706-823-6000 Date: 8/31/22

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7. Meeting of creditors Debtors must attend the meeting to be questioned under oath. In a joint case, both spouses must attend. Creditors may attend, but are not required to do so.	September 30, 2022 at 10:00 AM BY TELEPHONE Please call the teleconference line at your exact scheduled date and time; do not call in advance of your scheduled time. The meeting may be continued or adjourned to a later date. If so, the date will be on the court docket.	Call in number: 1-866-718-1381 Passcode: 8529945#
8. Deadlines The bankruptcy clerk's office must receive these documents and any required filing fee by the following deadlines.	File by the deadline to object to discharge or to challenge whether certain debts are dischargeable: You must file a complaint: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • if you assert that the debtor is not entitled to receive a discharge of any debts under 11 U.S.C. § 1141(d)(3) or • if you want to have a debt excepted from discharge under 11 U.S.C. § 523(a)(2), (4), or (6). <hr/> Deadline for filing proof of claim: A proof of claim is a signed statement describing a creditor's claim. A proof of claim form may be obtained at www.uscourts.gov or any bankruptcy clerk's office. Your claim will be allowed in the amount scheduled unless: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • your claim is designated as <i>disputed</i>, <i>contingent</i>, or <i>unliquidated</i>; • you file a proof of claim in a different amount; or • you receive another notice. If your claim is not scheduled or if your claim is designated as <i>disputed</i> , <i>contingent</i> , or <i>unliquidated</i> , you must file a proof of claim or you might not be paid on your claim and you might be unable to vote on a plan. You may file a proof of claim even if your claim is scheduled. You may review the schedules at the bankruptcy clerk's office or online at https://pacer.uscourts.gov . Secured creditors retain rights in their collateral regardless of whether they file a proof of claim. Filing a proof of claim submits a creditor to the jurisdiction of the bankruptcy court, with consequences a lawyer can explain. For example, a secured creditor who files a proof of claim may surrender important nonmonetary rights, including the right to a jury trial.	First date set for hearing on confirmation of plan. The court will send you a notice of that date later. Filing deadline for dischargeability complaints: 11/29/22 11/4/22 For a governmental unit: 2/22/23 Filing Deadline: 30 days after the <i>conclusion</i> of the meeting of creditors
9. Creditors with a foreign address	If you are a creditor receiving mailed notice at a foreign address, you may file a motion asking the court to extend the deadlines in this notice. Consult an attorney familiar with United States bankruptcy law if you have any questions about your rights in this case.	
10. Filing a Chapter 11 bankruptcy case	Chapter 11 allows debtors to reorganize or liquidate according to a plan. A plan is not effective unless the court confirms it. You may receive a copy of the plan and a disclosure statement telling you about the plan, and you may have the opportunity to vote on the plan. You will receive notice of the date of the confirmation hearing, and you may object to confirmation of the plan and attend the confirmation hearing. The debtor will generally remain in possession of the property and may continue to operate the debtor's business.	
11. Discharge of debts	Confirmation of a chapter 11 plan may result in a discharge of debts, which may include all or part of a debt. See 11 U.S.C. § 1141(d). A discharge means that creditors may never try to collect the debt from the debtors personally except as provided in the plan. If you believe that a particular debt owed to you should be excepted from the discharge under 11 U.S.C. § 523 (a)(2), (4), or (6), you must file a complaint and pay the filing fee in the bankruptcy clerk's office by the deadline. If you believe that the debtors are not entitled to a discharge of any of their debts under 11 U.S.C. § 1141 (d)(3), you must file a complaint and pay the filing fee in the clerk's office by the first date set for the hearing on confirmation of the plan. The court will send you another notice telling you of that date.	
12. Exempt property	The law allows debtors to keep certain property as exempt. Fully exempt property will not be sold and distributed to creditors, even if the case is converted to chapter 7. Debtors must file a list of property claimed as exempt. You may inspect that list at the bankruptcy clerk's office or online at https://pacer.uscourts.gov . If you believe that the law does not authorize an exemption that the debtors claim, you may file an objection. The bankruptcy clerk's office must receive the objection by the deadline to object to exemptions in line 7.	

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ADDITIONAL COURT SPECIFIC INFORMATION.

ID Required at Meeting of Creditors	At least seven days prior to the meeting, the debtor must provide the U.S. Trustee with a photocopy of (1) the most recently filed federal income tax return or a transcript thereof; (2) government-issued photo ID; and (3) evidence of Social Security Number. Contact the U.S. Trustee to obtain instructions for submitting these materials.
Filing a Proof of Claim	Creditors are now able to file Proof of Claim forms for all chapters electronically. A CM/ECF login/password is not required. Visit the Court's website, www.gasb.uscourts.gov to find the ELECTRONIC CLAIMS link and filing instructions.
Multi-Court Voice Case Information System (McVCIS)	An automated response for further information on this case is available 24 hours daily by calling the Multi-Court Voice Case Information System (McVCIS) toll free number 1-866-222-8029, selecting your language, and pressing 42, and then 1, to access the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Georgia. Please have the case number, social security number, or debtor name available when calling. In addition, you may also contact the Clerk's Office directly. Please note that McVCIS is NOT the official court record. The official court record continues to be maintained only by the Clerk's Office.
Cell Phones and Electronic Devices	Cellular phones and other devices with cameras or recording capabilities are not allowed in the Courthouse.
Other information	

For The Court:

Lucinda Rauback, Clerk
United States Bankruptcy Court
Federal Justice Center
600 James Brown Blvd
P.O. Box 1487
Augusta, GA 30903

Dated: 8/31/22

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